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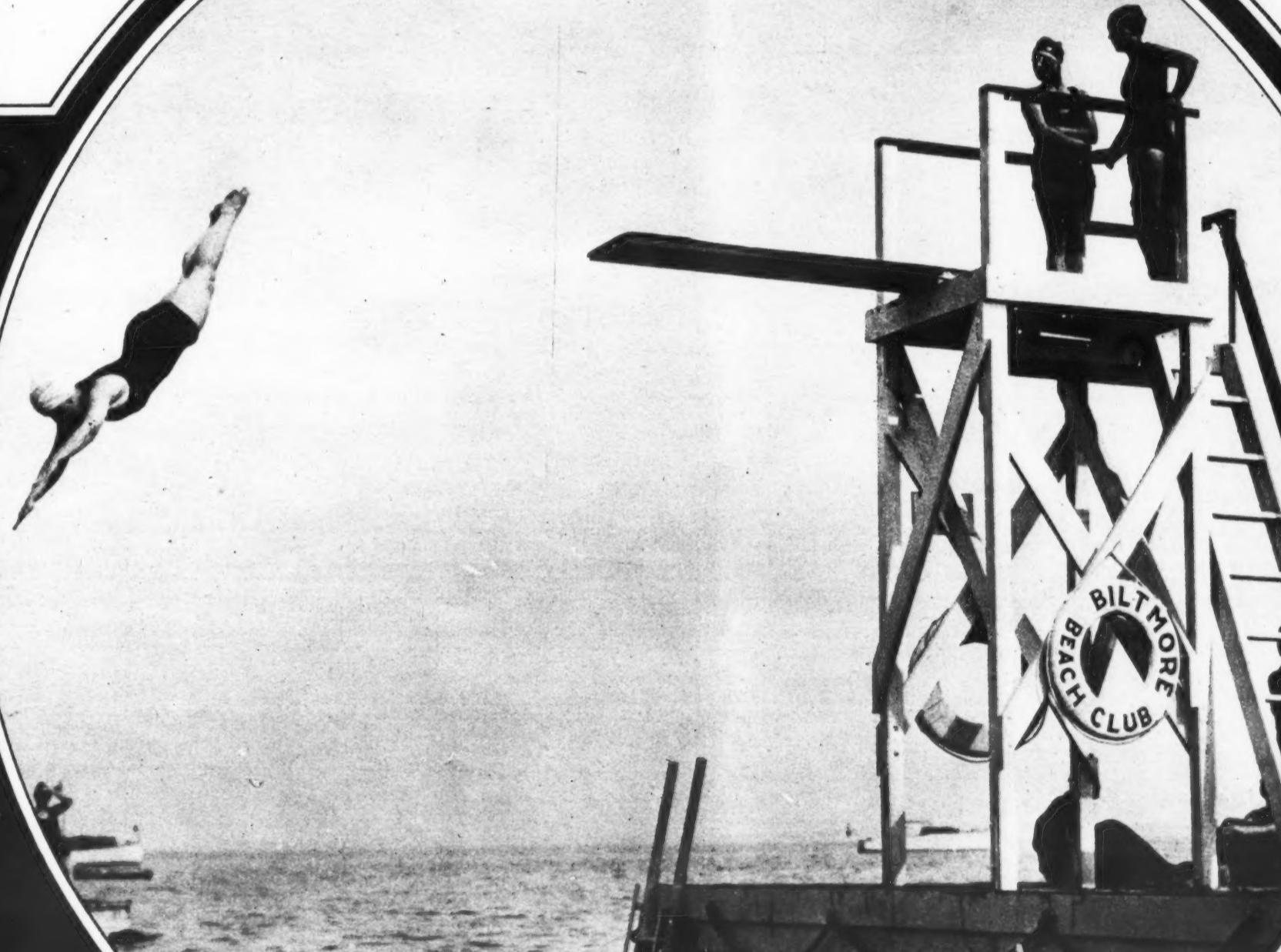
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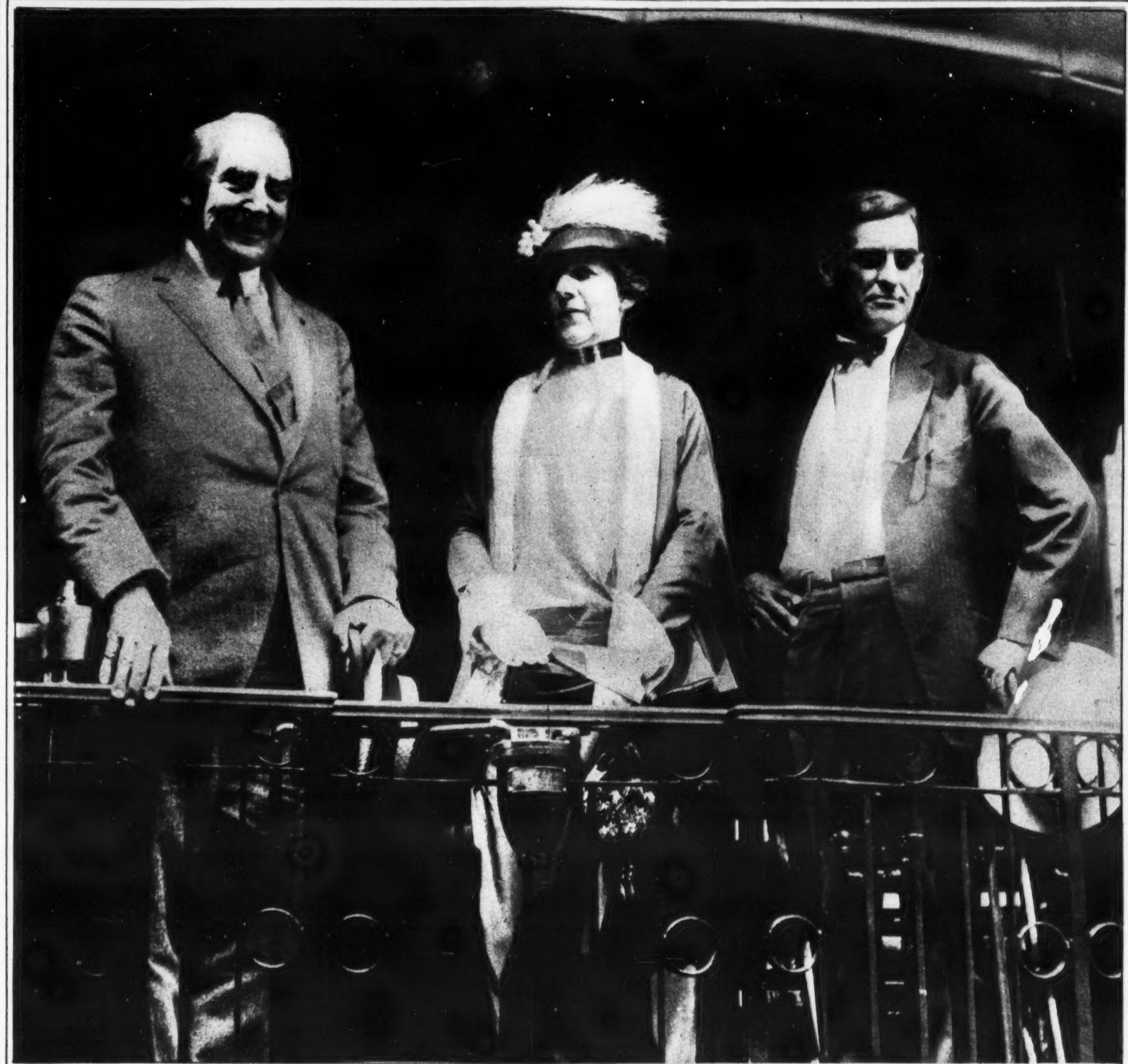


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## President and Mrs. Harding Starting on Long Trip



CHIEF EXECUTIVE WITH MRS. HARDING AND THE PRESIDENT'S PERSONAL SECRETARY, GEORGE CHRISTIAN, STANDING ON THE BACK PLATFORM OF THE SPECIAL TRAIN THAT STARTED JUNE 20 ON A TRIP ACROSS THE CONTINENT AND THENCE TO ALASKAN TERRITORY, WHERE THE PRESIDENT WILL MAKE AN EXTENDED TOUR OF INSPECTION.

PRESIDENT HARDING and his wife, accompanied by his private Secretary, left Washington at 2 o'clock in the afternoon of June 20 on the transcontinental tour incidental to his visit to Alaska. At Martinsburg, W. Va., and at Cumberland, Md., which points were reached by the Presidential train that same afternoon, there were throngs at the station to give the President a cordial greeting.

When the President's train pulled out of the Union Station in Washington Mr. Harding breathed a sigh of relief. He had worked well into the small hours of the morning in dis-

posing of pardon cases and other public business in preparation for his journey, and he was tired. Besides, the day was the hottest that Washington had experienced this Summer, and the President and the other members of his party felt the wilting effects of the terrific heat.

There was another reason for the President's feeling of relief. He had been rather overworked for weeks, and not the least burdensome of his tasks was the preparation of addresses he will deliver on his tour. Nineteen set speeches have been scheduled, and seven of these were completed before

Mr. Harding left the capital. That was the cause of his satisfaction. Three others are well on their way to completion. Four must be prepared before the President reaches Tacoma, Wash., where he will embark for Alaska on July 5. His speeches at Seattle and other places on the Pacific Coast will not be prepared until he is returning from the Alaskan trip.

Members of the President's immediate party say that the addresses he has completed show a great amount of historical reading and give evidence that he devoted much thought to the proposals which they contain.

There is a suggestion in what is told in this connection that the country may see the President in the light of one who

speaks with a voice of authority and asserts himself as the leader of his party. At the same time it is indicated that in none of his addresses will be stressed partisan politics. He will seek to avoid anything of that character, and endeavor to appear before the country in the light of a President of the whole people and not as a politician taking advantage of an opportunity to popularize purely party matters.

Mrs. Harding appears to be in better health than at any time since she entered the White House, and there is every expectation by members of the Presidential party that she will be able to make the entire tour without experiencing any recurrence of her physical troubles.



FOE TO RACE SUICIDE IN JUBILEE PARADE

One of the amusing features of the great industrial parade in New York as part of the jubilee celebration was this of Doc Stork in his proverbial task of bringing a new addition to the city's teeming population. The mammoth bird attracted great attention and was the recipient of applause all along the route. There were scores of other interesting features in the parade, which embraced 15,000 men and women marching down Fifth Avenue to the music of many bands on the afternoon of June 16.

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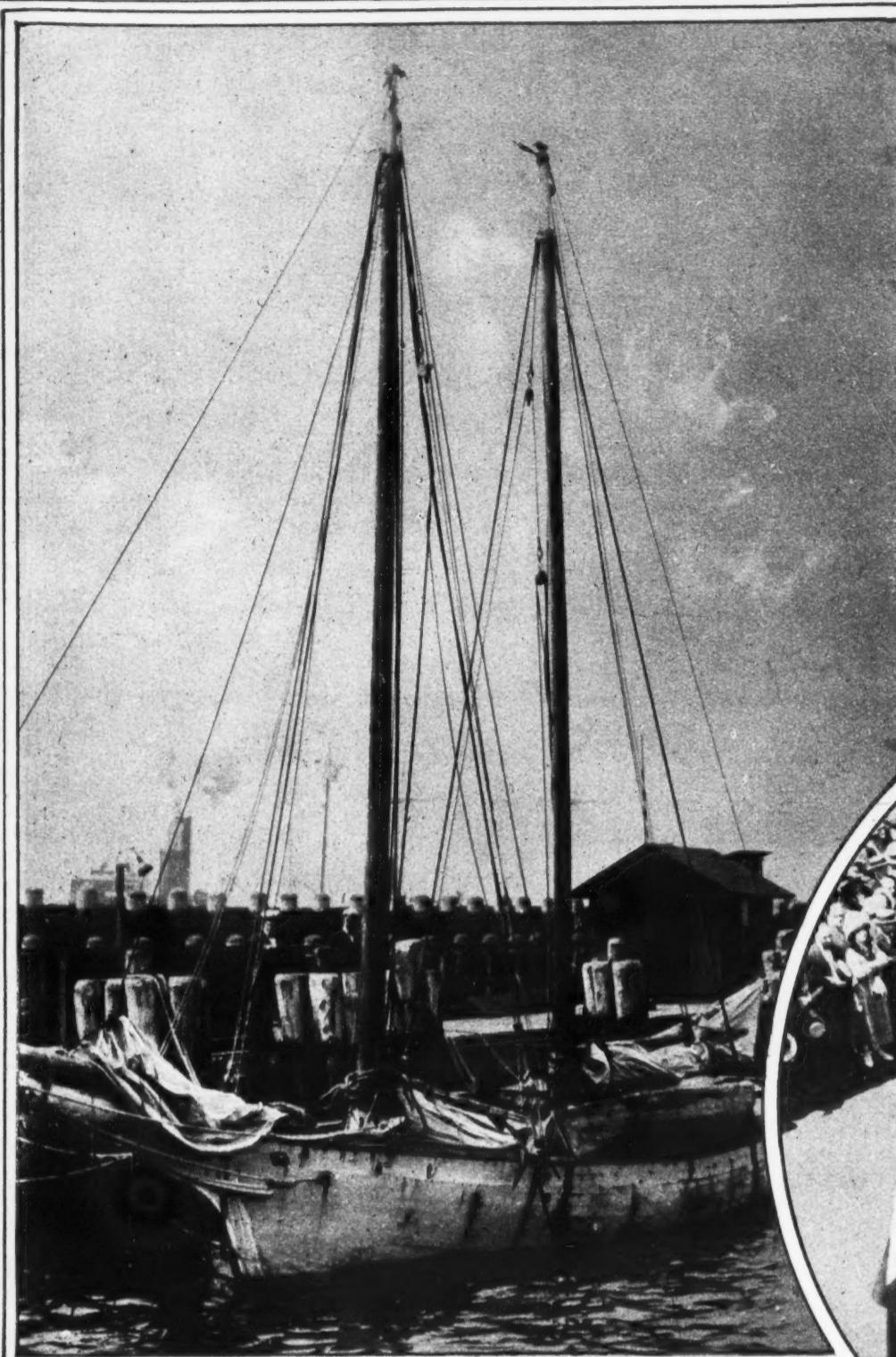


FLAG DAY TRIBUTE AT ROOSEVELT'S TOMB

Governor John M. Parker and the Glen Cove Lodge of Elks, together with many Boy Scouts, were the principals in the Flag Day exercises held at the grave of the late ex-President Roosevelt at Oyster Bay, L. I. The grave was entirely surrounded by flags placed there by admirers of the former Chief Executive.

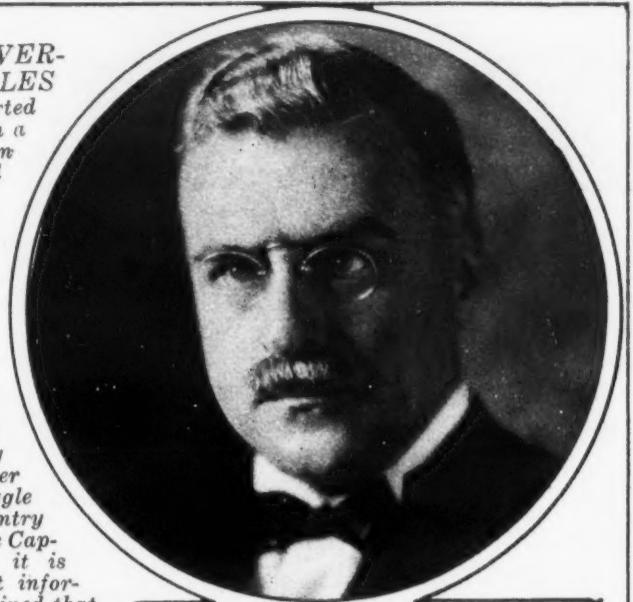
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SCHOONER A VERITABLE SHAMBLES

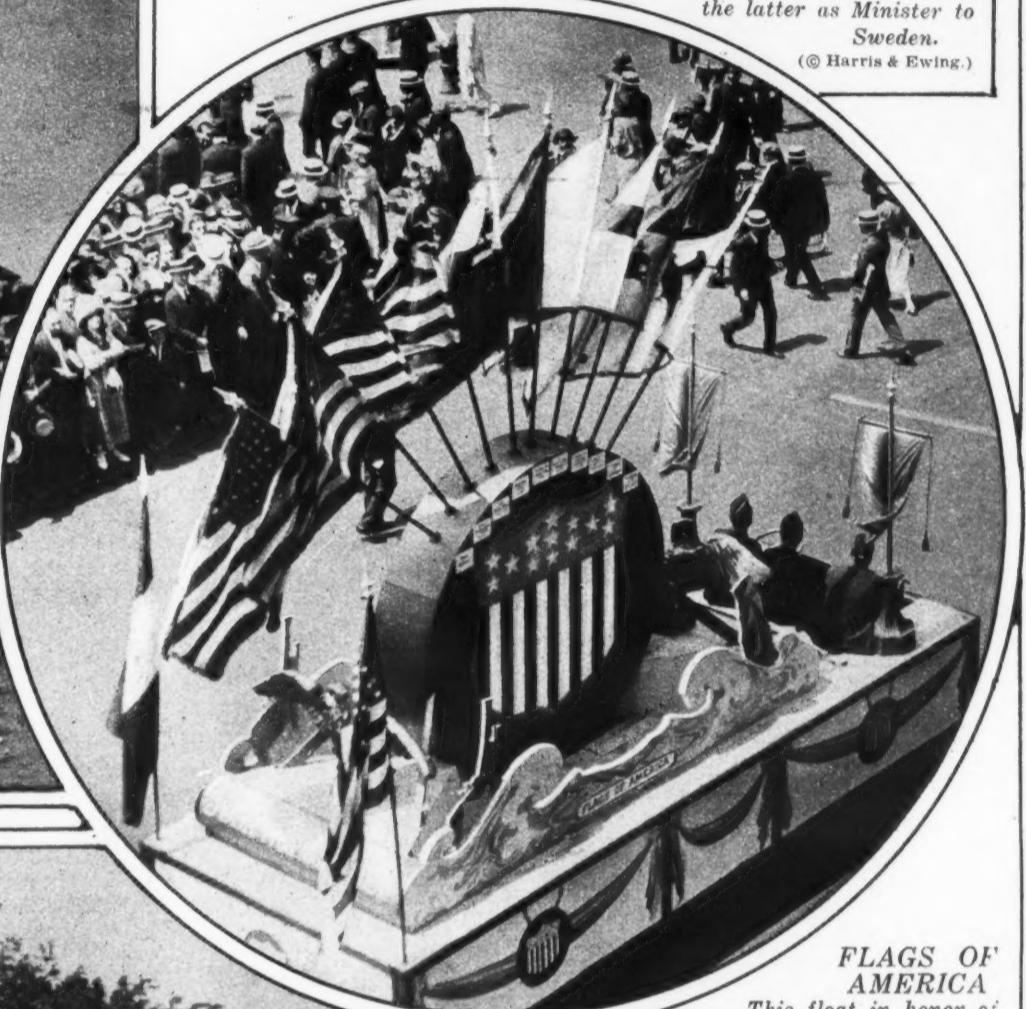
Nine men are reported to have been killed in a fierce battle between Chinese coolies and the crew of the *Mary Beatrice*, here seen, which arrived in New York Harbor on June 14. Among the dead are two white men, two negroes and five Chinese. It is alleged that the Captain of the vessel deserted her with \$5,000 bribe money given him by a number of Chinese to smuggle them into this country from Cuba. After the Captain left the ship it is gathered from what information could be obtained that members of the crew attacked the Chinese with the design of getting from them what money they had left. (International.)



J. BUTLER WRIGHT

Recently appointed Third Assistant Secretary of State, succeeding Robert Woods Bliss on the appointment of the latter as Minister to Sweden.

(© Harris & Ewing.)



FLAGS OF AMERICA

This float in honor of the flags of America was saluted by thousands along the line of march of New York's Silver Jubilee parade up Fifth Avenue on June 16. (Wide World Photo.)



PRINCETON ALUMNI PARADE

In the foreground of the alumni parade on University Field, Princeton, N. J., June 16, preceding the Yale-Princeton baseball game, is shown the university's new mascot, a royal Bengal tiger seven months old. An immense throng took part in the funmaking. The new mascot was evidently not in form, for Yale beat Princeton by a score of 5 to 2. (© Underwood & Underwood.)



RAYMOND M. HAVEN

Kansas City (Mo.) man who, as President of Rotary International, opened the big convention at St. Louis on June 18. (© Harris & Ewing.)



**BERNIE NEIS**  
Diminutive Brooklyn centre fielder, who is playing a fine game in the field and is batting at a .344 clip.  
(Underwood & Underwood.)



**MAKES NEW RECORD**  
Fred Tykle, track star of Purdue University, who made a new 100-yard dash record by going over the course in a recent intercollegiate meet in 9 3-5 seconds. He was caught here by the camera just as he was breasting the tape.  
(Acme Service.)

**ARMY AND NAVY  
TEAMS AT POLO**

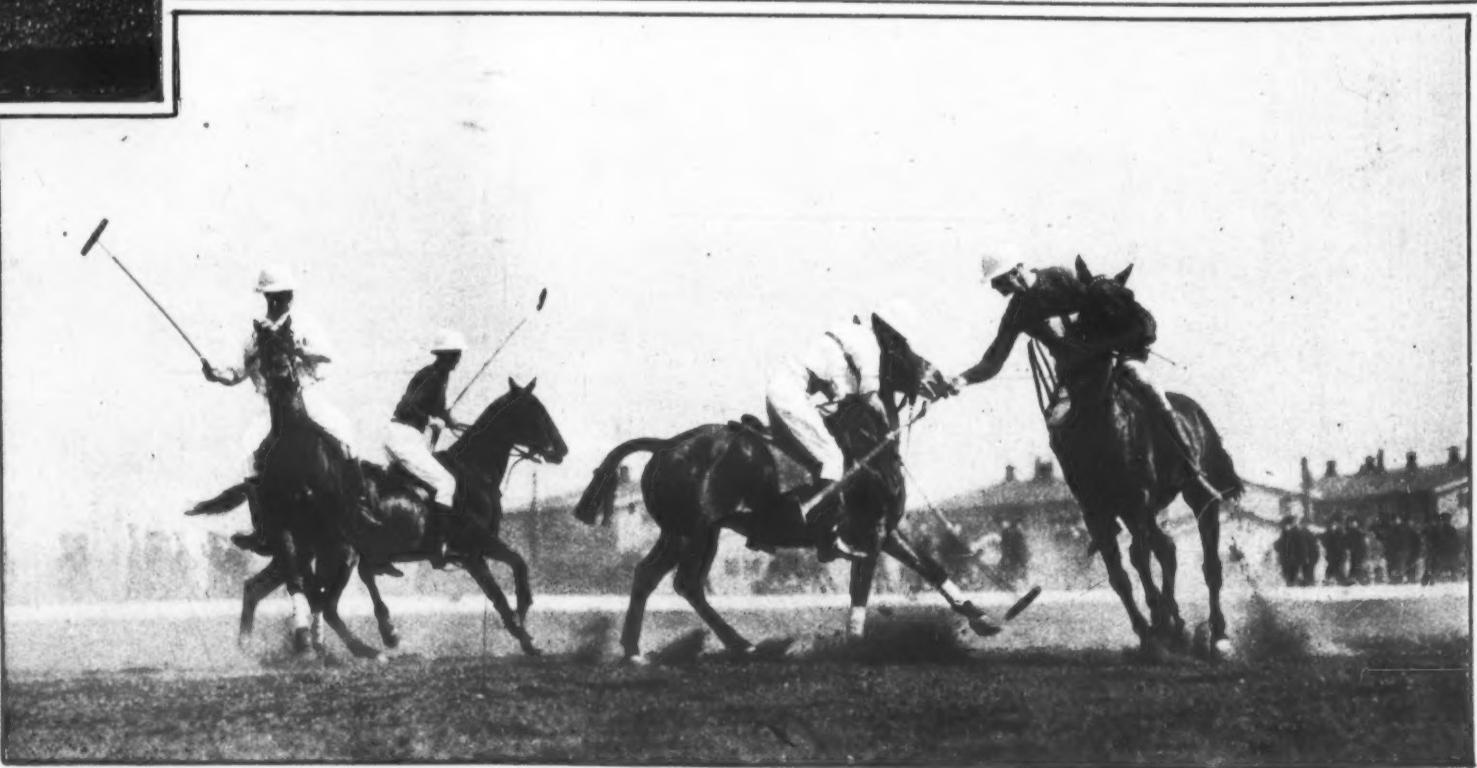
Scene in the third period of the polo game between Army and Navy teams at the annual Garden Party at Governors Island under the auspices of the Army Relief Society, June 16. Squadron A of the Navy were the victors over the Governors Island team, with a score of 6 to 0.  
(P. & A. Photos.)

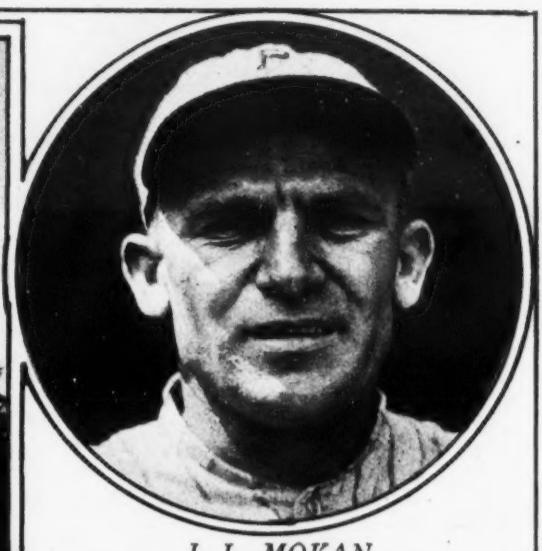


**THOROUGHBREDS ROUNDING TATTENHAM CORNER IN THE BRITISH DERBY**  
Horses closely bunched at the turn in the classic race of the English turf, with Papyrus leading. Donoghue, the veteran jockey who has several Derby wins to his credit, secured a position close to the rail and held it throughout the race. The victory was a fairly popular one, for Papyrus was heavily backed, although not a favorite. The winner is the son of Tracery, who was bred at August Belmont's farm in Kentucky.  
(Wide World Photos.)

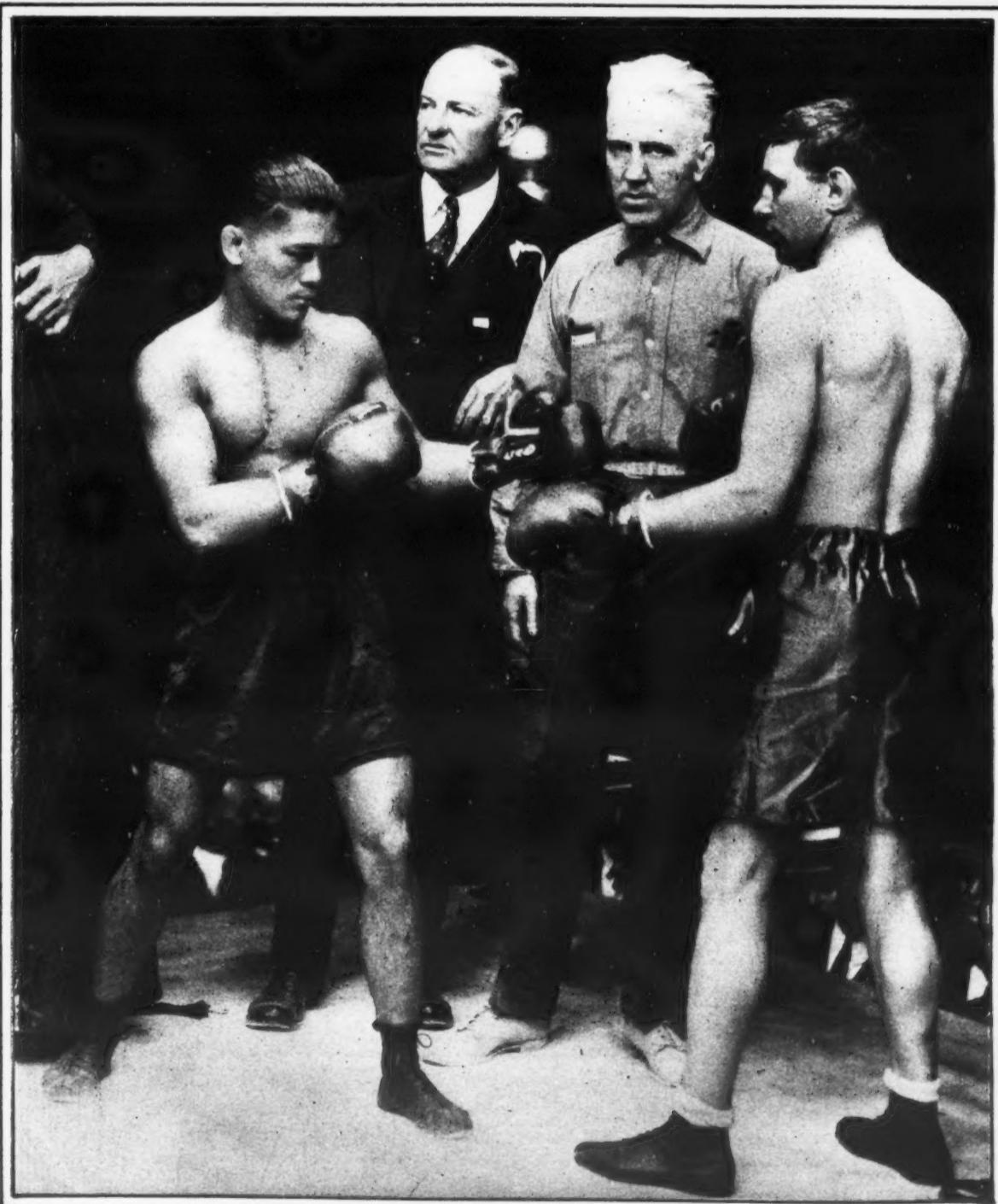


**UNIQUE FORM OF THE OLD GAME OF TUG-OF-WAR**  
Seniors and juniors at the University of Maryland held an unusual tug-of-war as part of the closing exercises of the school year. The opposing team lined up on either side of a small pond of water and stretched the rope across. At the signal the opposing sides began their war. Slowly the juniors slid into the pond, tugging harder than ever, but to no avail, while the seniors pulled them deeper and deeper into the watery grave of defeat. (Keystone View Co.)





**J. L. MOKAN**  
Young left fielder of the Philadelphia Nationals, who has slammed out seven homers this season and has a batting average of .370.  
(Wide World Photos.)

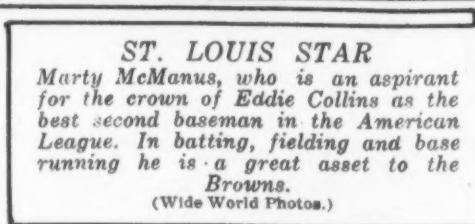


**PANCHO VILLA BEATS JIMMY WILDE**

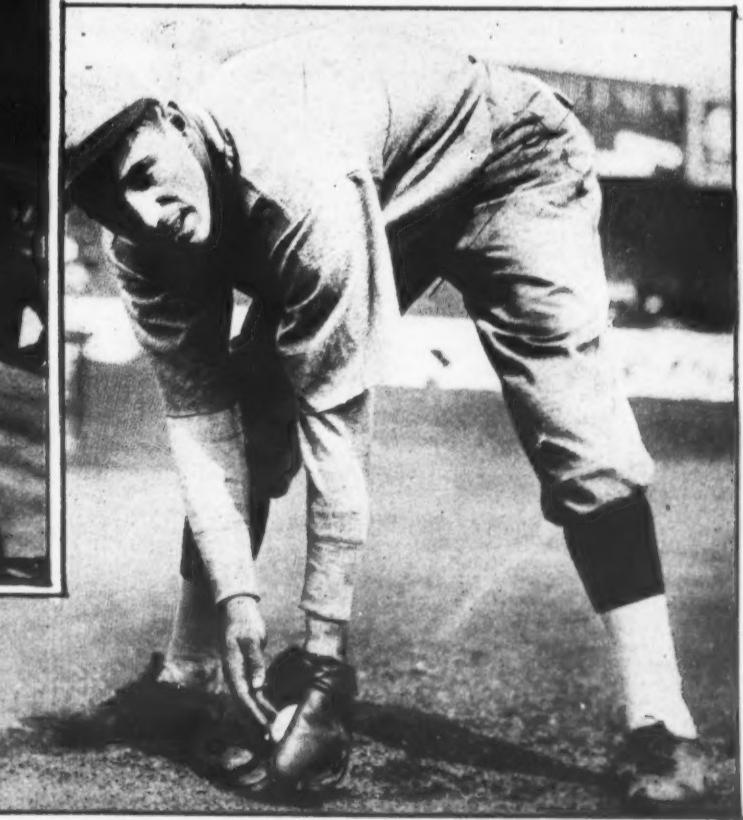
Jimmy Wilde, the Englishman, and Pancho Villa, the Filipino contender for the flyweight championship of the world at the Polo Grounds, New York, June 18. Left to right are: Villa, Joe Humphreys, Patsy Haley and Jimmy Wilde. The contest was a rattling one and Wilde was beaten decisively, being knocked out in the seventh round.  
(International.)



**YOUNG GIRL GOLF MARVEL**  
Maureen Orcutt of the White Beechers Club, N. J., fifteen-year-old golfer, who has played with Alexa Sterling, Glenna Collett and other noted women stars, and is regarded as a possible coming champion. She was denied admission to the recent tournament of the New Jersey Women's Golf Association on the ground that she was too young.  
(Fotograms.)



**ST. LOUIS STAR**  
Marty McManus, who is an aspirant for the crown of Eddie Collins as the best second baseman in the American League. In batting, fielding and base running he is a great asset to the Browns.  
(Wide World Photos.)

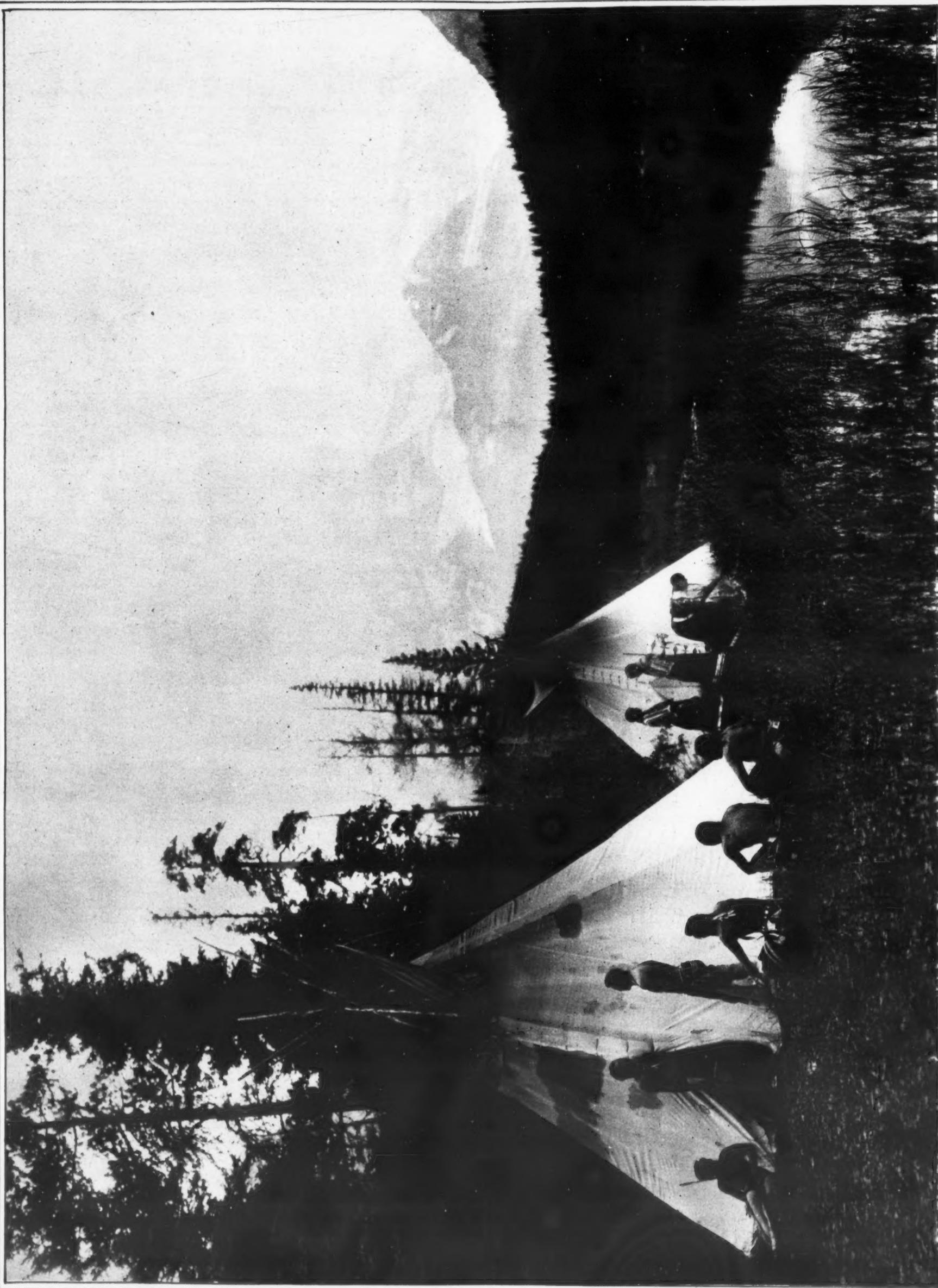


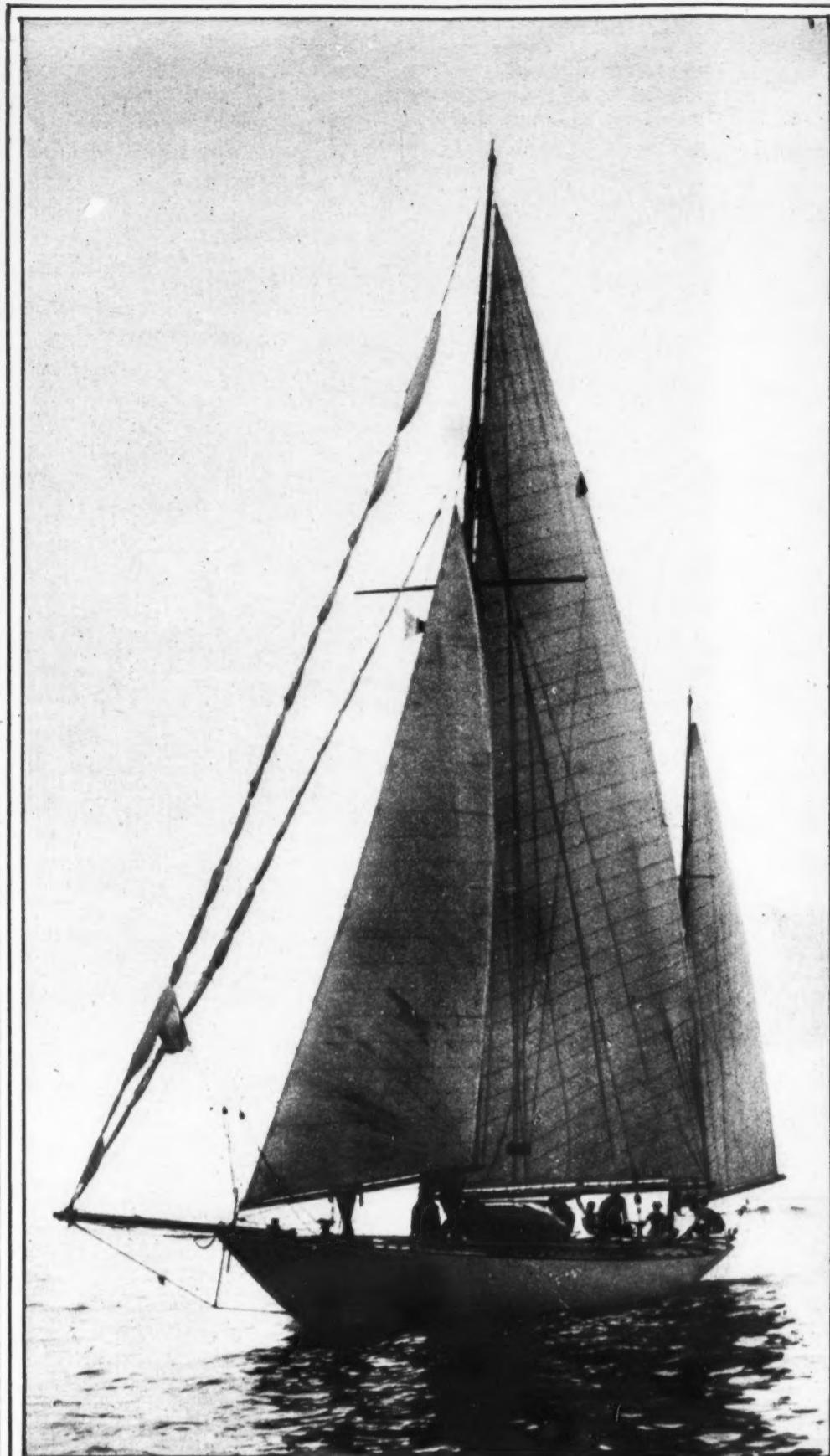
Blackfeet  
Encampment in  
Glacier  
National  
Park



PICTURESQUE Indian tepees on the banks of a limpid stream in Glacier National Park, with snow-clad peaks in the background rearing their heads toward the skies. Of all the many national parks set aside as part of the national domain by the United States Government Glacier National Park is most noted for its grandeur and sublimity. Many of the mountain peaks rise to a height of over 10,000 feet.

(Courtesy Great Northern Ry.)





**WINNER OF 662-MILE RACE TO BERMUDA**

*Yacht Memory*, winner of the race from New York to Bermuda, in which it defeated twenty-one other contestants. The trip was covered, with allowances for difference in time, in 4 days and 17 hours. The yacht reached her goal, Hamilton, Bermuda, on June 17.

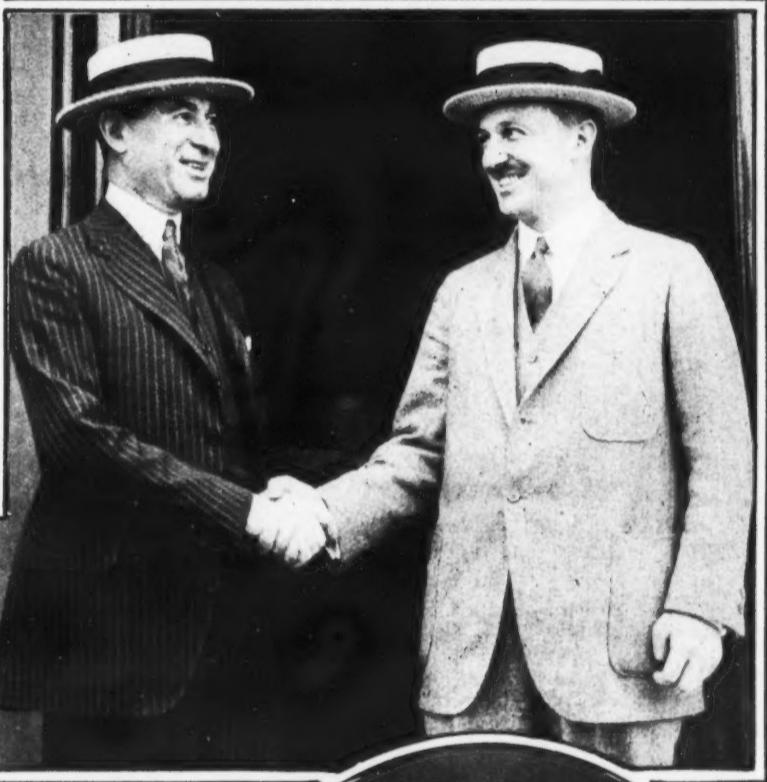
(P. & A. Photos.)



**COLLEGE PRESIDENT AS STORM CENTRE**

Dr. Alexander Meiklejohn, former President of Amherst College, who recently complied with a request by the Trustees that he resign owing to differences between himself and other members of the Faculty.

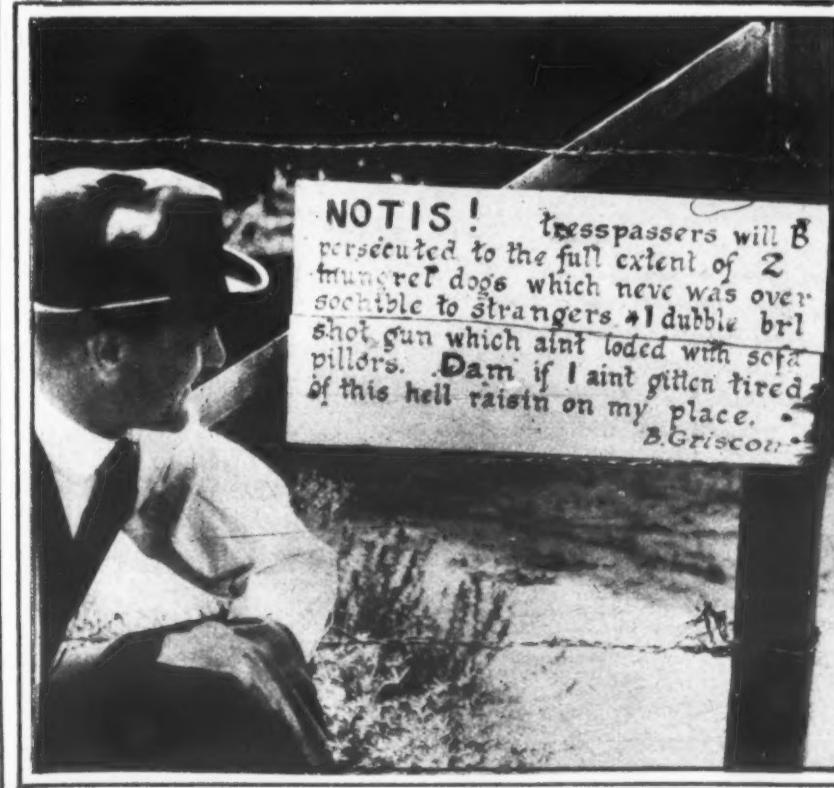
(Underwood & Underwood.)



**OUTGOING AND INCOMING CHAIRMEN OF SHIPPING BOARD**

Chairman A. D. Lasker of the United States Shipping Board (left), who recently resigned that position, greeting his successor, Edward P. Farley of Chicago.

(© Harris & Ewing.)



**NOTICE TO TRESPASSERS**

This plaint of an aggrieved soul posted on a ranch near San Diego, Cal., is well worth reading. While not a "well of English undefiled," it has at least the merit of going straight to the point, and nobody who reads it can have any excuse for not understanding perfectly the position of the owner of the ranch.

(P. & A. Photos.)

**WOMAN ELECTRICAL ENGINEER**

Miss Maria Whitson of Talladega, Ala., who is said to be the first woman to graduate in an electrical engineering course. She has been engaged as engineer by the Alabama Power Company.





**FOR CINCINNATI  
FESTIVAL**

Jeweled minarets forming centre of a spectacular electrical illumination at Cincinnati for the Fall festival, Aug. 25 to Sept. 8. The minarets, thirty feet high, will be festooned with 50,000 jewels. Forty searchlights, having a 450-million beam power, will be used for the illumination.

(Courtesy General Electric Co.)

**WAR GAME**

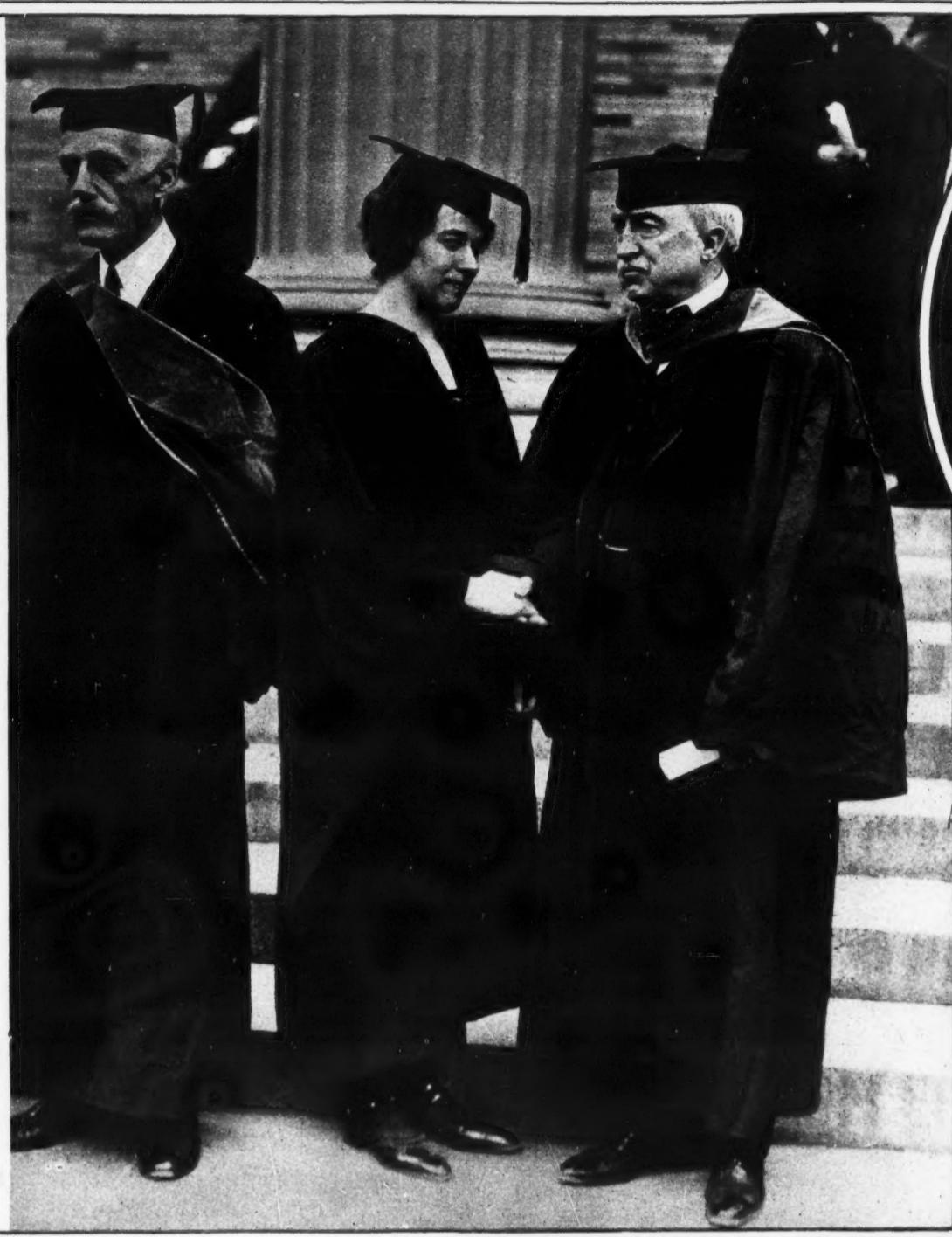
What is said to have been the largest mimic battle ever held in the United States was recently held at Camp Benning, Columbus, Ga. The Government has spent \$2,000,000 on the camp, which covers 97,000 acres and spreads over two counties. This pontoon bridge, thrown over the Chattahoochee River in record time, enabled the "trapped" army to escape.

(Wide World Photos.)



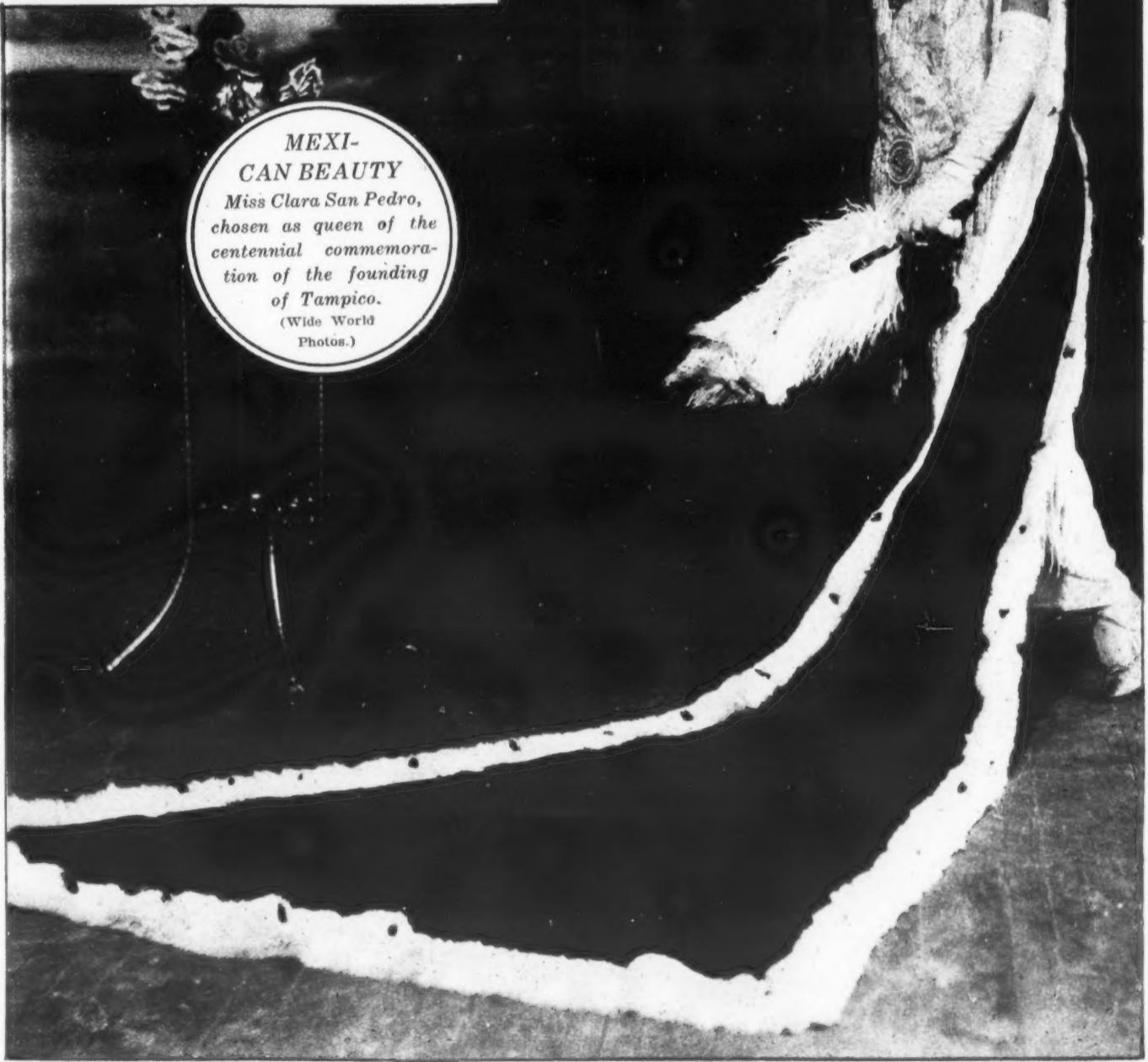
**SECRETARY MELLON  
HONORED**

The Secretary of the Treasury, Andrew W. Mellon, recently received the degree of Doctor of Laws from New York University at the annual commencement exercises. Left to right are: Miss C. C. Noyes, Secretary Mellon, Miss E. Hediger and W. P. Wilcox. (Wide World Photos.)



**ART PRIZE  
WINNER**

Miss Erna Lange of Elizabeth, N. J., the first woman, to win the Chaloner Foundation Prize of \$6,000 for five years' art study abroad.  
(© Underwood & Underwood.)



**MEXI-  
CAN BEAUTY**

Miss Clara San Pedro,  
chosen as queen of the  
centennial commemora-  
tion of the founding  
of Tampico.  
(Wide World  
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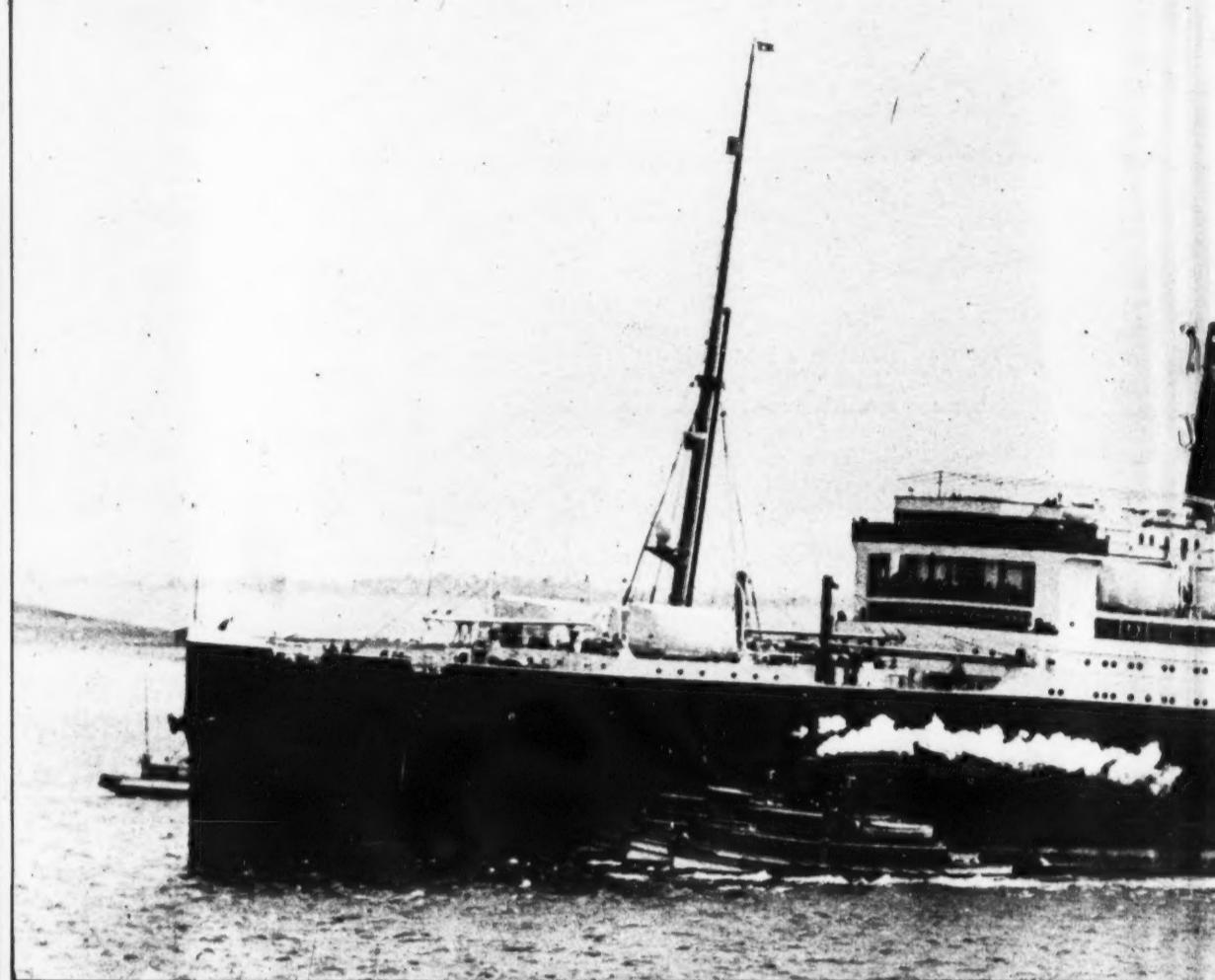
**A**LTHOUGH the thoughts of America are turned toward peace rather than war, it is reassuring to know that our army forces, small as they are at present, are being kept in the proverbial "pink of condition." Taught by the stern lessons of the late war, our military heads do not propose to be caught unprepared if war should come upon us. An illustration of this preparedness is shown in the recent manoeuvres at Camp Benning, carried out on a mammoth scale. The mimic battle lasted for eight days, finally coming to an end when the "Blue" Army found itself threatened with annihilation and driven back to the Chattahoochee. Theoretically it was "down and out," but the engineers attached to the army worked with such skill and celerity that the Blues were able to escape across the pontoon bridge that sprang up like magic in their rear.

**GIFTED STUDENT**

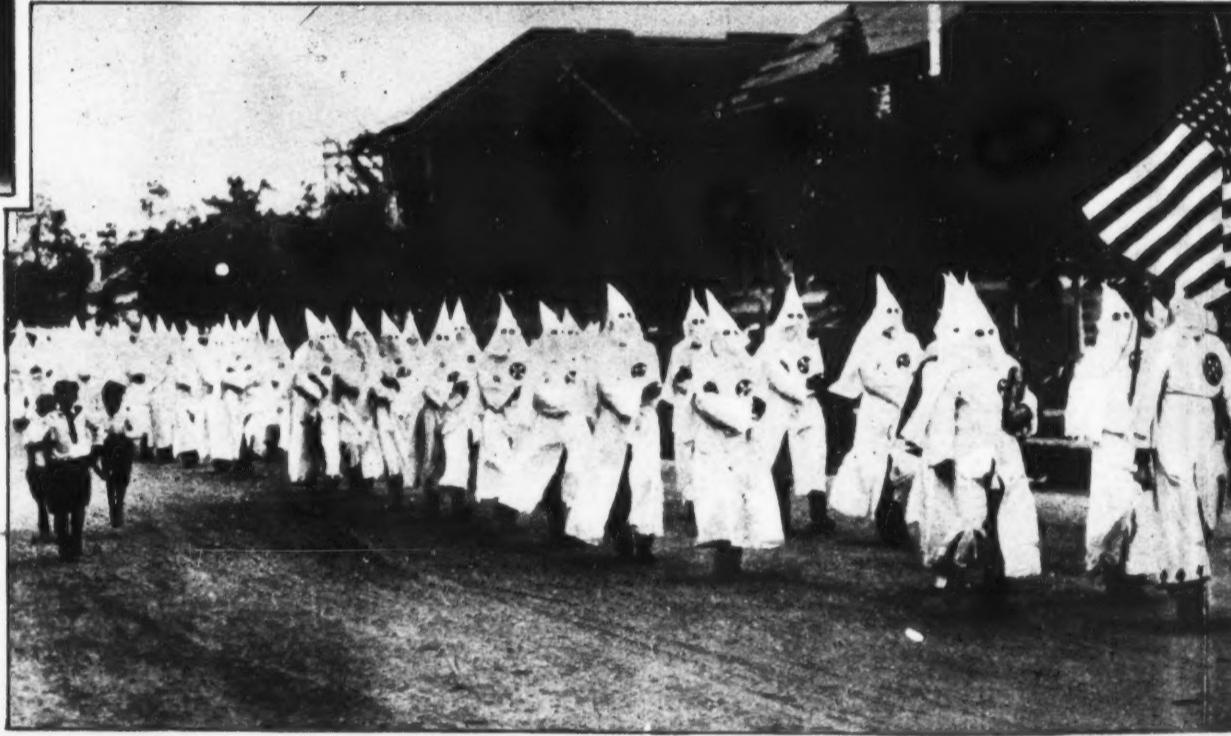
Art is so often associated in the popular mind with "long-haired men and short-haired women" that it is refreshing to find one of the chief art prizes carried off by a perfectly normal girl who abjures "temperament" and has no special sympathy with Greenwich Village or with cubists or futurists. Miss Erna Lange, a 26-year-old young woman of Elizabeth, N. J., is such a rara avis. She is the first woman to win the Chaloner Prize of \$6,000, which is to be expended for five years of art study abroad. Her mural decoration, "Lament," which carried off the prize, is said by the critics to show rare promise. Miss Lange won the award over several male competitors. She is a student of the National Academy of Design, and has studied for six years at various art schools. She lives at home and can sew, cook and scrub as well as paint.



**NEW WOMAN MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT**  
Inspired perhaps by the example of Lady Nancy Astor, Mrs. Hilton Philipson recently stood for election to Parliament as a Unionist and received a decisive majority. Before her marriage Mrs. Philipson was Mabel Russell, a member of the chorus who became a musical comedy star.  
(International.)

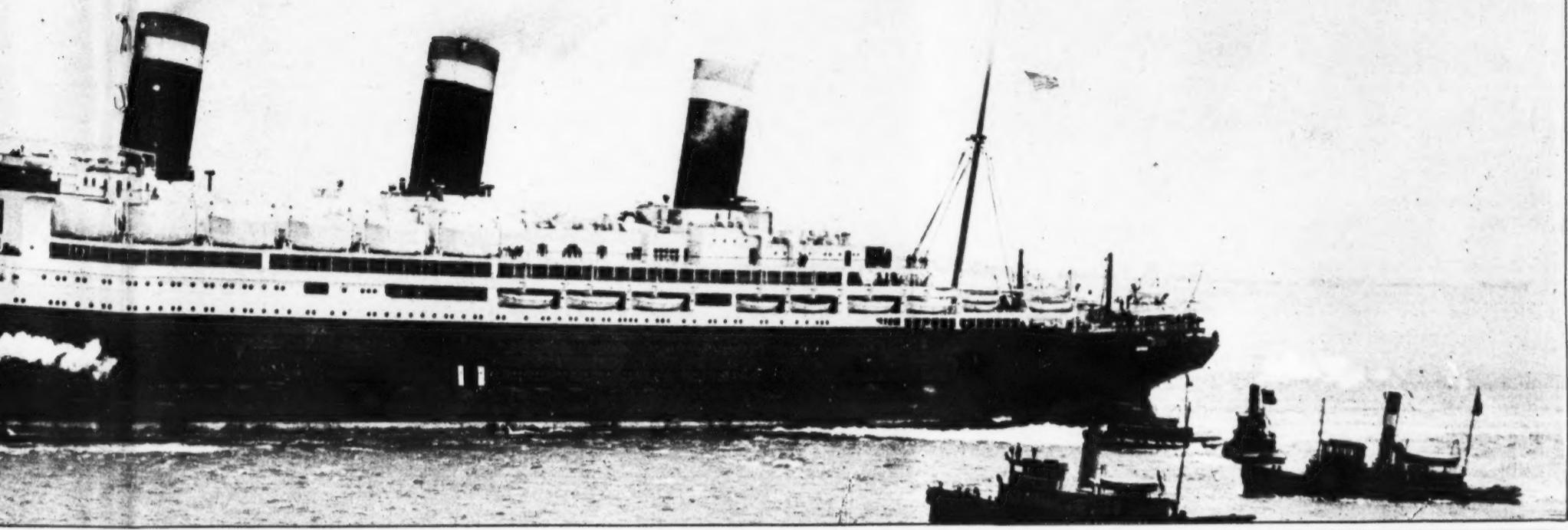


**GIANT STEAMER LEVIATHAN LEAVING THE HARBOR OF BOSTON, MASS.**  
Following her entire refitting and reconditioning, the great steamer Leviathan, upon whom the Government did not spend less than \$1,000,000, left Boston on a five-day trial trip to test the reconstructed engines and other details of her construction. Lasker, who has recently resigned as Chairman of the United States Olympic Committee, was present at the departure. (Keystone View Co.)

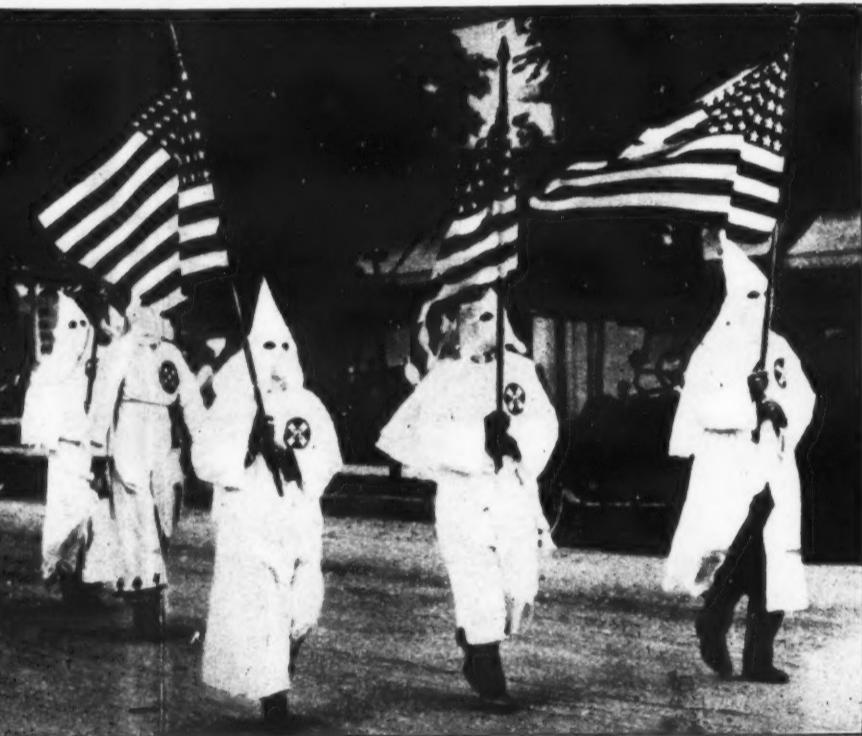


**AT OLD NASSAU**  
One of the features of the 176th commencement exercises of Princeton University on June 19 was the presentation of commissions as Second Lieutenants to senior members of the Princeton field artillery unit of the R. O. T. C.  
(© U. & U.)





OF BOSTON, MASS., FOR EXTENDED TRIAL TRIP  
the Government during the last year has expended about \$10,000,000, is here seen  
and other details of her equipment. On board were several hundred guests of A. B.  
of the United States Shipping Board.



KU KLUX KLAN ON PARADE  
Three hundred Ku Klux Klansmen in hoods and robes and several hundred more unmasked paraded in Lakewood, N. J., on Sunday, June 17, while friends cheered and enemies hissed.  
(International.)

WAR LORD OF RUSSIA

Leon Trotsky, War Minister of Soviet Russia, making an address to thousands of his enthusiastic followers during the meeting of the Third International in Moscow. He is the most fiery orator in Russia.

(Keystone View Co.)



MINIATURE NIAGARA FOR NEW YORK KIDDIES

During the hot spell in New York City the Fire Department has built enormous tanks outside the fire houses so that the young folk may enjoy themselves to their hearts' content without taking the long journey to the beaches. Some are here seen frolicking in the tank while others are enjoying the overflow that comes down on them like a small cataract.

(Keystone View Co.)



**TACOMA FIELD DAY EXERCISES**

Forty thousand persons filled the stands of the Tacoma Stadium on the tenth anniversary of Stadium Day in that city. More than 18,000 children took part. Some of them, massed in Red Cross formation, are seen parading across the field.

(International.)

**FOR THE HEATED SEASON**

Since the children of the poorer classes in New York are not able to go frequently to the beaches, the city authorities have provided pools in the vicinity of the fire-houses where they may frolic in cool water.

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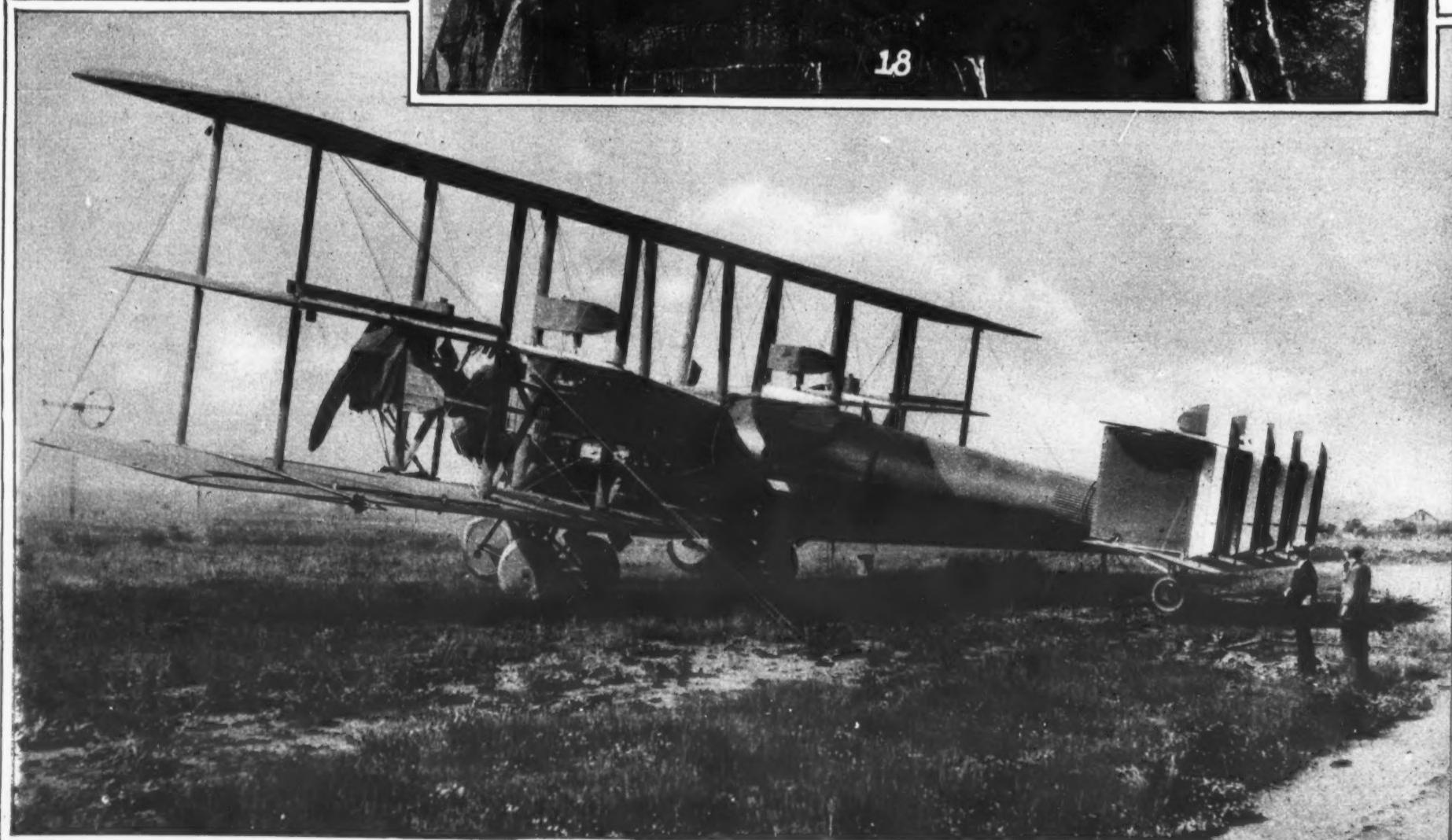
**LARGEST BOMBER NEARLY COMPLETED**

(Below.) The greatest bombing plane that the world has ever seen is here shown at Wilbur Wright Field, near Dayton, Ohio, undergoing ground tests. It will be ready to fly in a few days. It mounts seven guns and will carry a bomb weighing 12,000 pounds. It has six 450-horsepower Liberty motors and a tank capacity of 2,120 gallons.

(International.)



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#### THOROUGHBREDS GOING "OVER THE JUMPS"

Five mounts clearing the hedge at the water jump in steeplechase at Belmont Park, New York, June 11. Parley (No. 8), the winner, is in front. Letterman (No. 6), the favorite, finished third. Treviscot, who finished second, is on further side of Letterman.

(P. & A. Photos.)



#### PLenty OF "PEP" AT 73

Mrs. Anna Norton of Chicago, 73 years old, mother of nine children and grandmother of eleven, who battled a prowler recently, giving his ears a sound boxing before he jerked away from her and fled down the stairs. The next intruder will get a sound spanking.

(Underwood & Underwood.)



#### WINS DIPLOMA AND BRIDE

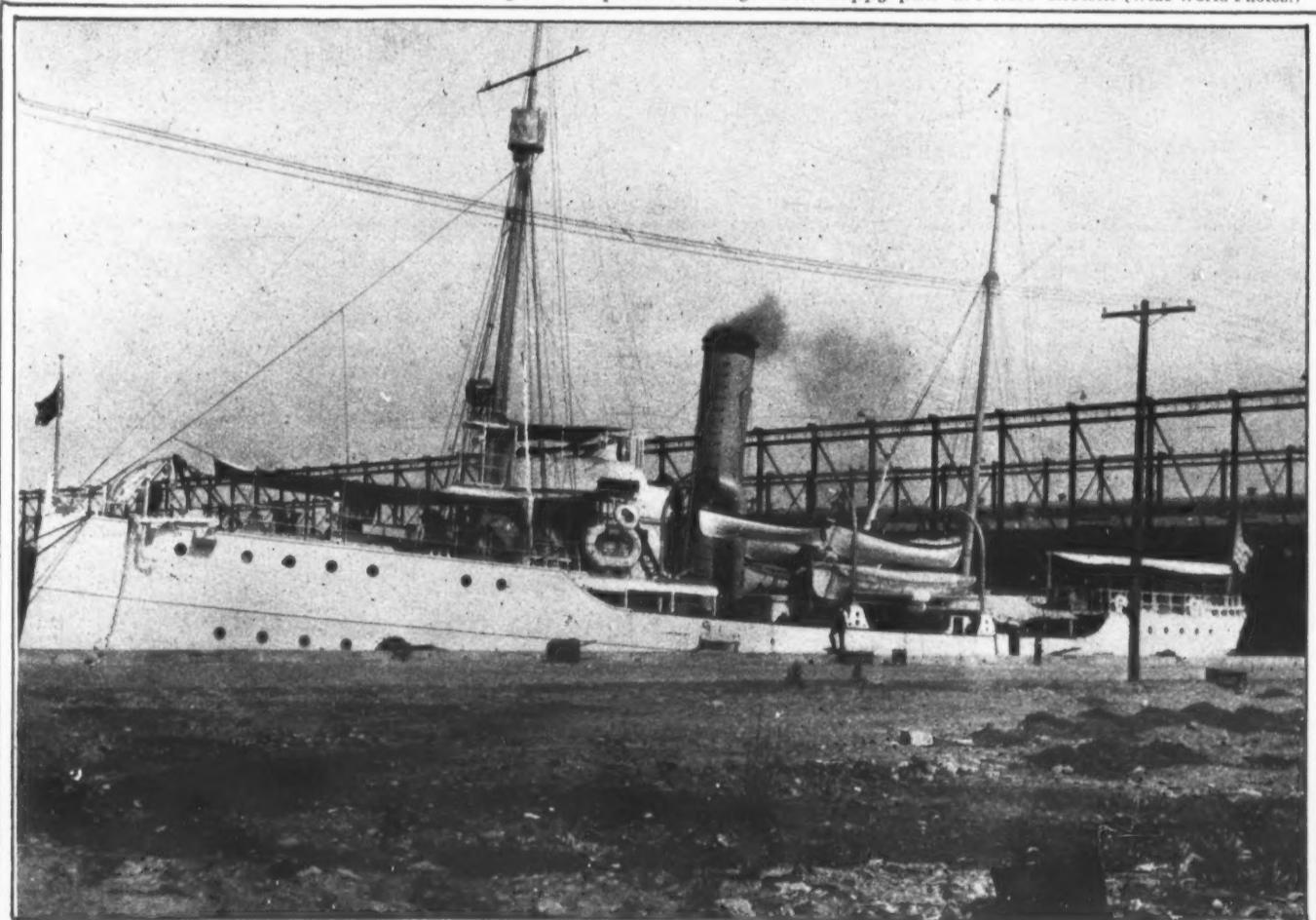
Immediately after graduation from West Point recently Louis Eugene Imhof hied himself to the Military Academy Chapel and was there married to Miss Regina Josephine Dowling. The happy pair are here shown. (Wide World Photos.)



#### FIRST WOMAN TO PRESIDE OVER OHIO LEGISLATURE

Mrs. C. J. Ott of Youngstown, Ohio, who has the distinction of being the first of her sex ever called upon to preside over the Legislature of Ohio.

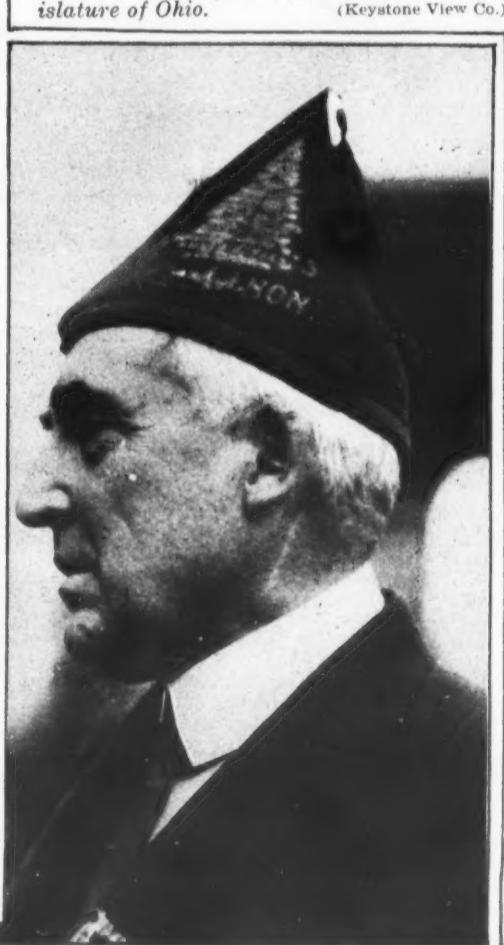
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#### UNITED STATES ARMED VESSELS TO CHASE RUM RUNNERS

Starting with June 11, a fleet of twelve Government vessels bristling with guns of various sizes were sent in pursuit of the host of rum-running vessels that have been hanging around the entrance to New York Harbor waiting for a chance to discharge their illicit cargoes. Hitherto blank shots have been fired, but from now on the vessels will use solid shot, and in some instances have already done so. The Seminole, one of the United States vessels referred to, is here seen getting ready for her cruise.

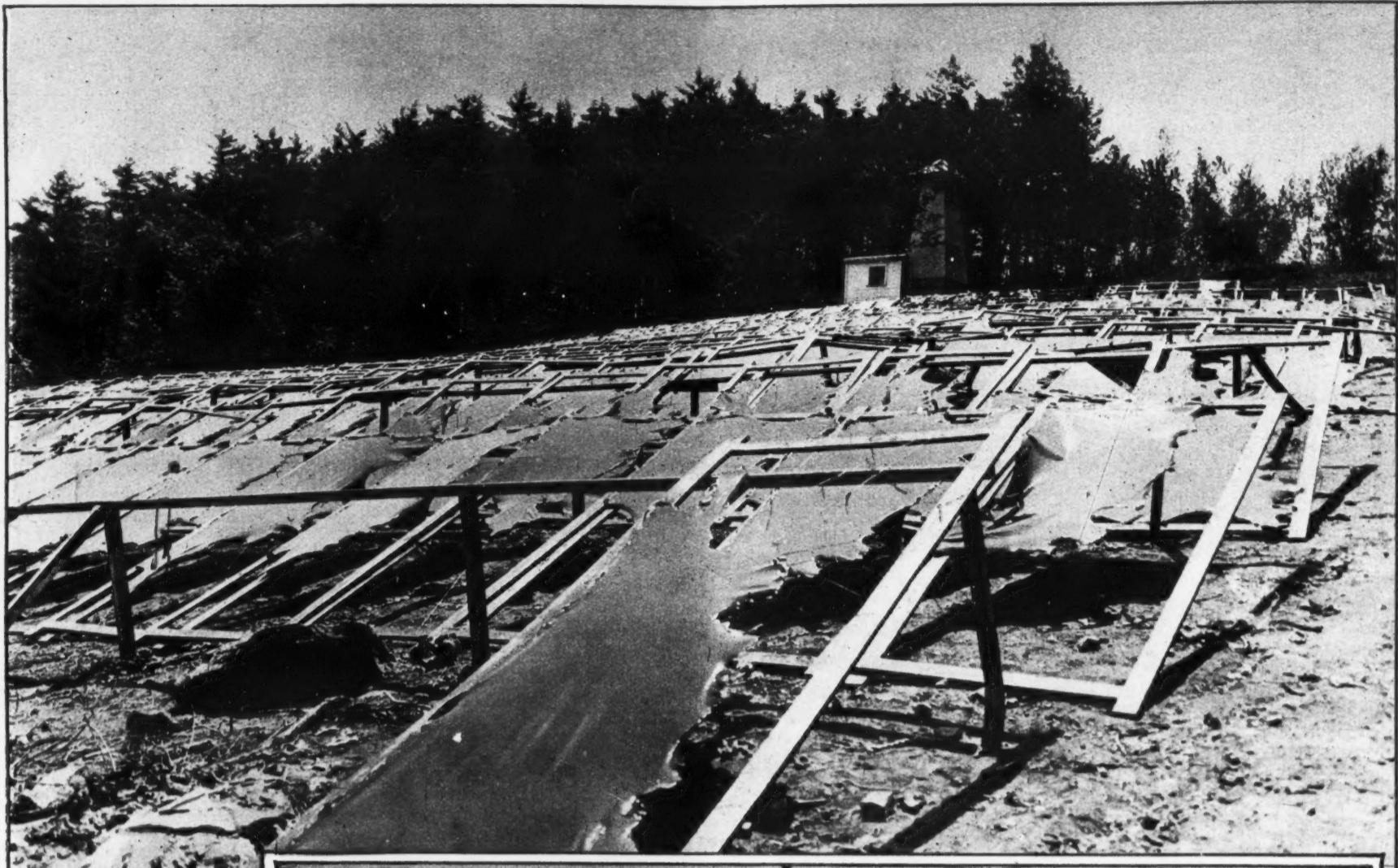
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#### PRESIDENT AS A TALL CEDAR

President Harding is here seen wearing the fez which proclaims him a member of the Tall Cedars of Lebanon, a fraternal order into which he was inducted recently at Milford, Del.

(International.)



#### LEATHER FOR MILLIONS

Patent leather is here seen in the last stage of manufacture. The hides, with their blackest of black surfaces glistening in the light, are trying after the application of the last coat of enamel. The drying frames are later packed up and hauled in by means of overhead rolling conveyors. It takes three days of sunshine to dry the enamel.

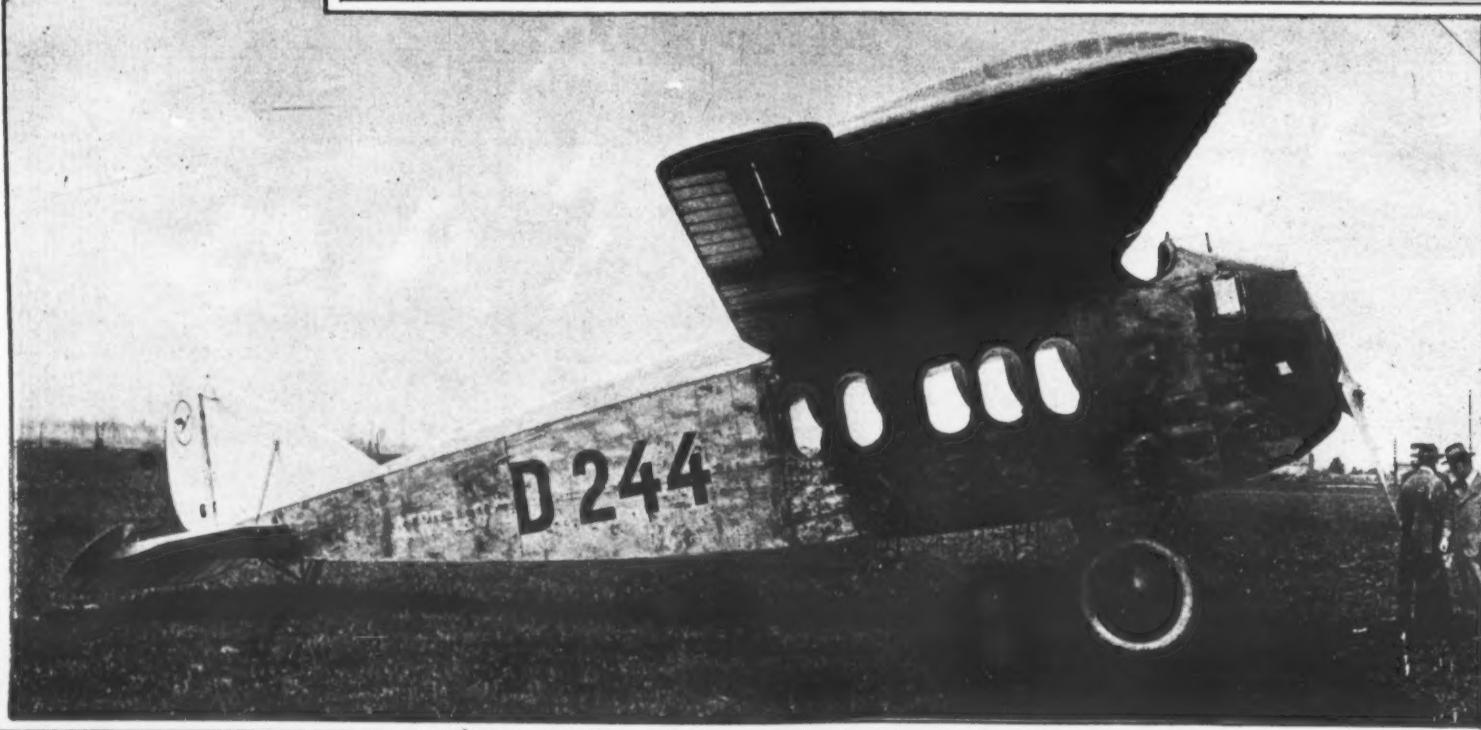
(© Ewing Galloway.)



#### RAILROAD SUBDING FIRES

Southern Pacific fire train in action in one of the thickly wooded sections along which the railroad runs. Hose throwing tremendous streams of water are carried quickly by the cars from place to place and a single train can do more in subduing a forest fire than hundreds of individual volunteer workers.

(International.)



#### AIR TRAVEL DE LUXE

One of the first passenger planes to be put into service between Berlin and London. A regular passenger line is being established between the two capitals, and planes will run on schedules that will be as strictly observed as those of railroads. This plane embodies the latest improvements in aviation and the cabins are as luxuriously furnished as those of the average Pullman car on American railroads.

(International.)

Statue of "America Coming to the Aid of France"



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Elizabeth and Margaret Keene  
(twins) in "Adrienne."  
(George M. Cohan  
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**QUAINT BUT FETCHING**  
Miss Berta Erickson, the last Swedish woman to enter the United States under quota regulations this fiscal year. She was picturesquely garbed in native costume with a flowing skirt and tiny bonnet, as worn by her grandmother. (P. & A. Photos.)

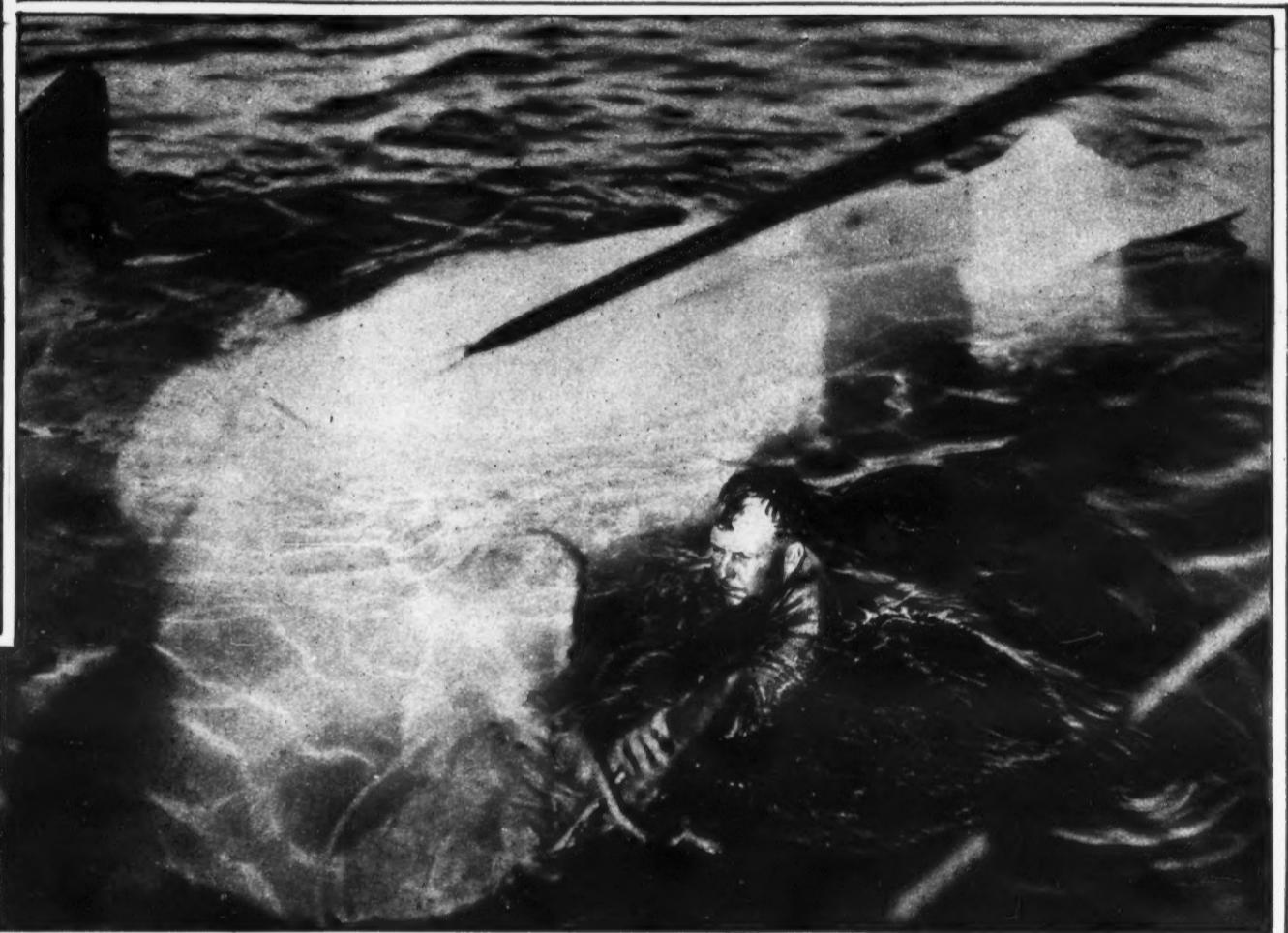
NOT many would care to handle the huge python shown on these pages, struggling in the grasp of half a dozen men. They are comparatively safe, however, as long as they can keep the body extended and prevent the monster from getting a grip with his tail around some convenient tree or post. If that happened there would be a scattering in hot haste, for the python strikes like lightning, and once caught in those bone-crushing folds there is no escape.

#### SEA DENIZEN

Some days ago a huge sea monster, estimated to weigh over twenty tons, was landed at Long Key, Fla., after a struggle that lasted near'y a day, during which fifty bullets from a high-powered rifle were fired into it. The vitality of the fish, however, was so great that it did not succumb to this rifle fire, but was finally landed alive. It is said to be the first of its kind ever captured while living, and has been classified as belonging to the class of rhinodon known as "whale sharks." A former director of the Miami Aquarium and now connected with the New York Aquarium states that not a single bone or vertebrae of the rhinodon was in possession of any scientific institution. The importance,



**A TEST OF NERVE AS WELL AS OF MUSCLE**  
To handle a twenty-three-foot python is no child's task, especially when to the weight of the reptile is added the powerful writhings of his muscular body. A group of attendants at the San Diego (Cal.) Zoo is here shown transferring his "snakeship" from one cage to a roomier one, despite his strenuous objections. (P. & A. Photos.)



**LANDING A SEA MONSTER**  
Captain Newton Knowles of the *Edithia* braving attack by the *rhinodon*, a huge sea terror 32 feet long, 20 feet in girth and estimated to weigh about 40,000 pounds. The monster was secured after a terrific struggle. (P. & A. Photos.)

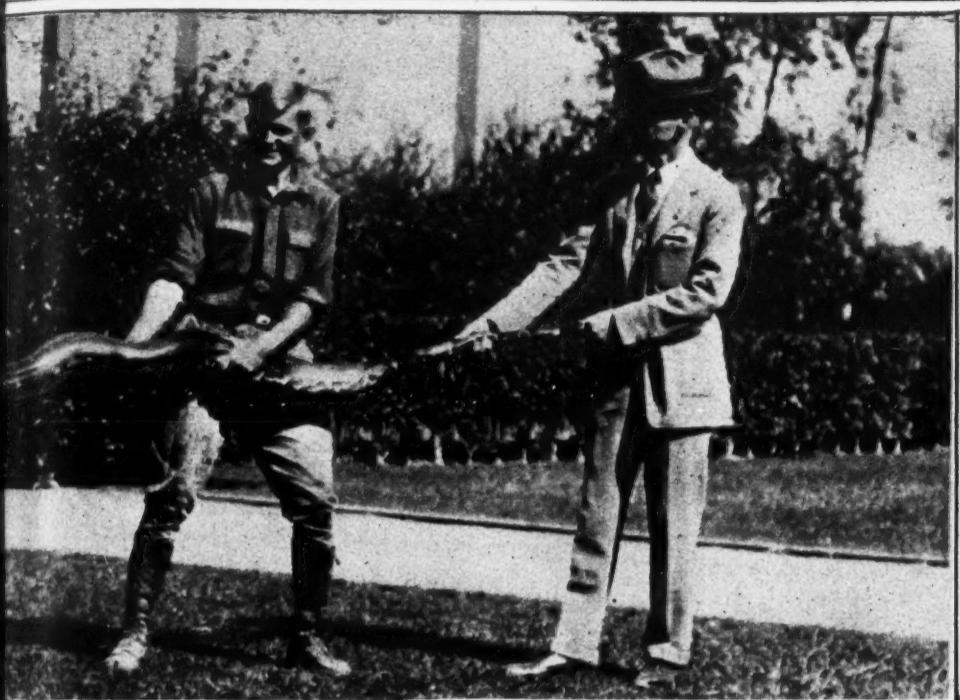


**SENATOR'S SONS AS BELLHOPS**  
Sailing as bellhops, Paul Caraway, 17 (right), and his brother, Forest Caraway, 16 (left), sons of United States Senator Caraway of Arkansas, and Malcolm Price, son of Dr. T. M. Price, chemist of the Department of Health, District of Columbia, left recently on the steamship *George Washington* from New York for Bremen, Germany. (P. & A. Photos.)

therefore, of the catch from a scientific viewpoint is obvious. The fish fought desperately, and even though severely wounded, attacked the captain when he sought to secure it with ropes and chains to the wharf.

#### INDIAN RITES

On the second Friday of June in each year members of the Smoki tribe of Indians gather at Prescott, Ariz., for the performance of the snake dance, the catcina dance and the flute ceremony. The legends upon which these ceremonials are founded were old before any white man had dreamed of the new world across the western ocean. The catcina dance is an invocation to the gods of rain and fertility. The dancers are garbed in costumes and masks designed to express the characteristics of their tribal ancestors, and also more or less to symbolize the desire that the deities they invoke will bless their lands with peace and plenty. The snake dance is

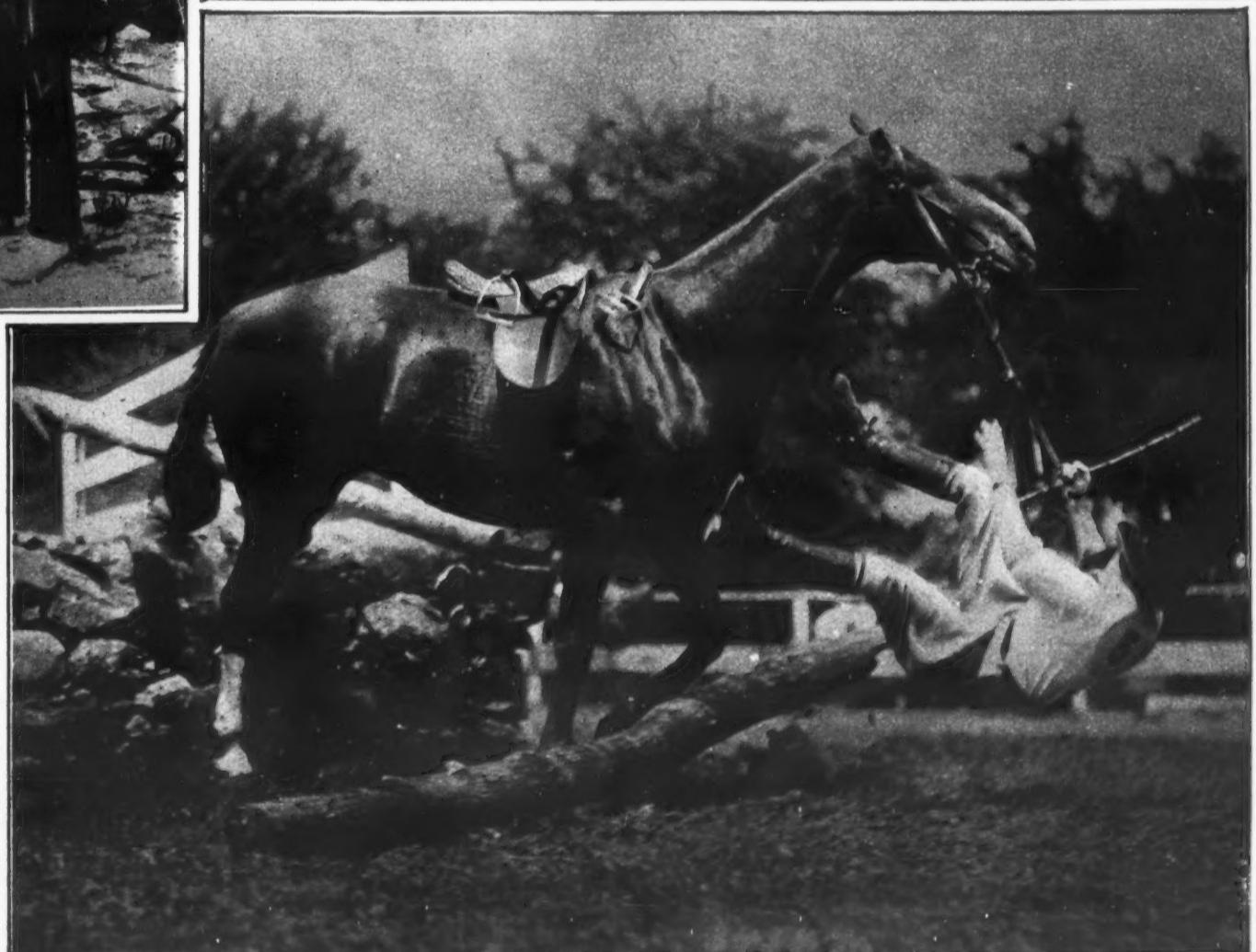
**GIANT PORPOISE**

Huge fish weighing 600 pounds that was harpooned and captured recently after a two-hour running fight at Newport Richey, Fla., where the captor, Oscar S. Shaw, seen standing beside his catch, has been spending a brief vacation.

(Wide World Photos.)

**SMOKI INDIAN SNAKE PRIEST AT ANNUAL DANCE**

A feature of the Smoki Indian dance at Prescott, Ariz., which is calculated to give thrills to the most blasé observer. The snake priest handles venomous reptiles with the utmost unconcern and strange to say usually escapes unbroken. (International.)

**DARING EQUESTRIENNE HAS A SPILL AT WESTCHESTER COUNTY HORSE SHOW**

Miss Becky Lanier, one of the most expert riders of the younger set, shown being thrown from the saddle as her horse Down East stumbled at the first jump in the heavy and middleweight hunters' class at the Westchester County Horse Show at White Plains, N. Y. Her expert horsemanship saved her from being seriously injured.

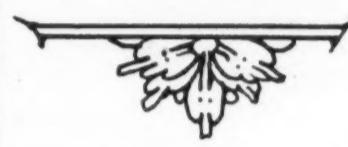
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**MOST FAMOUS TRAIN  
IN THE WORLD**

Reproduction of a painting by William Harmden Foster of the Twentieth Century Limited, than which perhaps no other train is so well known throughout the world. It reached its majority on June 15, that date marking the termination of twenty-one years of continual service between New York and Chicago. Apart from its speed and reliability, it is operated with all the safety compatible with modern railroading, and has a record of having carried safely 10,000,000 passengers since 1902. The painter has admirably conveyed the impression of tremendous speed and power.

(Kadel & Herbert.)



**CHIEF EXECUTIVE AWARDS  
ROOSEVELT MEMORIAL  
MEDALS**

President Harding recently presented the first of the medals awarded by the Roosevelt Memorial Association for distinguished service to Major Gen. Leonard Wood, Miss Louisa Lee Schuyler and Dr. Henry Fairfield Osborn. The President's wife participated in the ceremony. In the picture, left to right, are shown: Dr. Henry Fairfield Osborn, whose services to science are well known; Mrs. Harding, the President, Miss Louisa Lee Schuyler and Colonel Kilburn, who received the award for General Wood, who is at present at his official post as Governor General of the Philippines. The President was in his usual genial mood and his remarks in making the presentations were felicitous.

(© Harris & Ewing.)



**TEXAS FLOODS**

View of Pearl Street, Beaumont, Texas, following a rainfall of more than twelve inches which recently flooded the streets of the town. This was the greatest rainfall in that section of the country for the last twenty-five years. Automobiles were able to navigate the streets with considerable difficulty, but pedestrians were forced to wade unless they were able to get boats or rig up a raft of some kind. An unusual number of cloudbursts and inundations have been reported of late in Oklahoma, Texas and Arkansas. Traffic has been demoralized in the sections affected, and the money loss has run up into the millions of dollars.

(International.)

**HILARIOUS TARS**

Full of enthusiasm are these bluejackets of the U. S. S. Pittsburgh, now on duty at Constantinople. The reason is shown in the hundred per cent. record indicated by the placard at lower left. The gunners of the ship made perfect scores at target practice in record-breaking time and the crew wins over \$1,500 in prizes. Hence the joy of the men and the more decorous but plainly evident satisfaction of the officers. The one thing that has characterized the United States Navy from its beginning has been its remarkably accurate gunnery, and more attention is paid to this perhaps in battle practice and manoeuvres than any other feature. It was this that in the War of 1812 enabled the infant American Navy to conquer British frigates vastly stronger in men and guns.

(Photo U. S. Navy Official.)

**VERMONT BEAUTY**

When Burlington, Vt., was about to celebrate its 150th anniversary it hunted about for its prettiest girl and found her in the person of Miss Pauline McGreevey, here seen in the honor float of the parade. The celebration was attended by visitors all over the State.

(P. & A. Photos.)

**NEW U.S. ENVOY**

The Hon. Charles S. Wilson, United States Minister to Bulgaria, who will leave shortly for his new post. He entered the Diplomatic Service in 1901 as Secretary of Legation to Greece, Rumania and Serbia. (© Harris & Ewing.)

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